Augie Defeats Wesleyan-High Five Conquered

COLLEGE BOYS STAGE TANGLE **WORTH SEEING**

Defeated in First Period, Terrible Sweden Come Back Strong, Hold Visitors to No Score.

By FRAZIER VANCE.

In the fustest game staged for years on the local floor, Augustana's basketball outfit defeated the Illinois Wesleyan aggregation with a score of 31 to 20. Both teams started out at a breakneck speed and kept up the same pace through-out the game. Time was called twice for Wesleyan's men to get

Both teams played a five-man de-fensive game and displayed excel-lent team work, the Bloomington boys at times pulling some most baffling plays on bounce passes. However the Augie-ites maintained their same steady gait and defeated their visitors with their consistent

Beng and Wallie proved as usual to be the chief point-getters, and Kootch rang in a beauty from be-hind the middle of the floor. Dopp and Holmgren displayed stellar ability as guards. Dopp had a hard luck streak, and couldn't quite put the ball through the hoop at es. Zook at center starred for the Bloomington outfit.

The girls' varsity team played the Rock Island Y. W. C. A. team for a curtain raiser and succeeded in defeating them with a score of 6 to 4 Augustana's team left at 6:20 this morning for Fairfield, Iowa, where they will meet Parsons college's team tonight.

RULES OF BOXING BODY ADOPTED BY

meeting in Paris rules and regula-tions conforming with the views of

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HOLD OUT FOR "DO"

wannah, Ga., Feb. 14. — Joe Jackson, White Sox infielder, who Davenporter. Tony realizes that spends his winters here, said today Bum is not a man to be toyed with the coming season unsigned and hardest to gain the decisi would quit baseball unless his sal-ary demands were met. He has strenuous training of his long and ness connections here.



Rabbit Maranville. BY NORMAN E. BROWN.

The Giant owners, as usual, are cennant. And one of the big centary is considered to the strongest indoor squads the strongest indoor squads the strongest indoor squads the went to Urbana. Tom Jones, at wisconsin, also is grooming a strong squad, which will be put to lost the fact on Feb. 21, when Notre very busy trying again to buy a who know President Grant are inclined to doubt that, with the ituation as it is, he would sell his reatest star. But, be that as it

pep to the Giant team as well as strengthen its infield defense. The Boston since that club obtained him from New Bedford in the New Eng-land league in 1812. He had been playing with the New Bedford club Springfield, Mass., Nov. 11, 1892. sturally a great star, it is doubtful if he ever would have been guite as brilliant a star as he is ndom is agreed that "The Crab" one of the brainlest, fightingest layers in the game. Playing secide Maranville. Evers insetted his pep into the youngster and taught him the fine points of game as only Evers knows

to Art Fletcher in fielding. The forestall eleventh hour protests, as bolt was a member of the Brave all men are eligible after the pre-liminary nominations are sent back In 1917 Maranville ranked sec and licking the Athletics four light in the world's series. helped get the Braves away to a start in the first game by

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RUBE GOLDBERG'S BOOBS-CUT OUT THESE VALENTINES AND TRY THEM ON YOUR LADY FRIENDS



EAR GENEVIEVE, FOR 160 1 SIGH, BUT RENTS, MY DEAR ARE FAR TOO HIGH!

To me your love the whole world But I can only jud you beant * GGGGGGG



OU ARE THE SWEETEST GIRL I KNOW-BUT, STEAKS COST SEVEN BUCKS A THROW!



DEAR, O DEAR, O DEAR, O DEAR. YES, EGGS, MY DEAR. ARE FAR TOO DEAR! \$ \$000000000 \$ \$



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FREAK WOP TO DO BATTLE IN **AURORA SOON**

Tony Caponi Matched With Freddy Enck-Comiskey Works Hard for Steuhmer.

Babe Meanor has matched Tony Caponi with Freddy Enck of Aurora for a bout in that city next Friday UNION IN PARIS rounds as one number on an all-star program. The Aurora club has New York, Feb. 14.—The Inter-

the American army, navy and ci-vilian board of boxing control, ac-cording to a cable message receiv-ing one of the bantams who has been hammering away for some The message, sent to Major Anyears. Aurora is fast becoming a thony J. Drexel Biddle, president fight center, so a decisive win for of the American board, declared that everything possible had been Freddy is a rugged little fellow and done to assure the entrance of the United States into the union.

The English board is eager to cooperate with the American body for the proper control in an effort to put the sport on a solid basis internationally, the message added.

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Freeddy is a rugged little fellow and the freak wop will no doubt find the hands full. However, he should make the Aurora bugs sit up and take notice of a streak in action and it is assured he will make the aurora bugs sit up and take notice of a streak in action and it is assured the make the Aurora bugs sit up and take notice of a streak in action and it is assured the freak wop will no doubt find the

tenhmer here next Thursday night at the Empire rink, sends the word along that his boy is not taking things easy for his match with the spends his winters here, said today Bum is not a man to be toyed with he had returned his contract for and that he will have to work his

varied career as'a mitt artist. Anby the more clever Comiskey, he is developing a greater kick in his right fist that he believes will do the St. Paul lad like he did on Eddie Gilmore.

ALL SCHOOLS IN BIG TEN TO BE IN PATTEN MEET

Chicago, Feb. 14 .-- Unlike forme years, when two or three squads struggled for team honors, pracically every university in the Big en will be represented by teams ndoor conference track and field 19 and 20, according to Avery Brundage, president of the graduating managing committee.

Besides the strong teams of Chi-

Strong Nucleus at Iowa. At Iowa Trainer Watson has the nucleus of a strong indoor team and it is understood he has been the dope. Northwestern's weak-ened team has engaged in two dual meets with the Illinois A. C. and Chicago A. A., and has received some much needed experience.
Coach Frank at Minnesota will send
his usual number of good men, including Arnold Oss, to the games.
Purdue, Indiana, and Ohio State

will be represented.

Although the athletes are being groomed for the conference, the stars will be sent to Urbana to compete in the annual relay games of the University of Illinois on March 6. Some of them will compete in the First Regiment handicap games Illinois A. C. handicap meet on

Issue Preliminary Entries. According to President Brundage, reliminary entries will be sent out

Chicago, Feb. 14. - The minor g start in the first game by leagues' meeting here was the

Rock Island always has been a good town and it is steadily growing better. It is not perfect but it always is approaching perfection. Like every normally developing thing, be it plant, animals or organization of men, it "grows by what it feeds upon." It has needs, but it also has a way of meeting them.

One of the things the city needs is baseball and baseball it is going to have. Largely through the efforts of The Argus it has returned to its old berth in the Three-Eye league. Time was when Rock Island and the Three-Eye could not get along together. But the Three-Eye has changed and so has Rock Island. If there was friction it has been forgotten. We are glad to get back and we have every reason to feel that we are

Feeling that the town was again ripe for baseball The Argus took it upon itself last fall to agitate the question. There was a whole hearted response. It was decided to ask for a franchise. We asked, and now that we have received there is but one thing to do and that is to get together a good team and back it up with the same old fighting spirit.

Are we going to to do it? You bet!

TRAP GUN * ROD BY ~ TOM MARSHALL tered around his heart are with difficulty thawed. His confidence in brother man has been perceptibly

All American team of wingshots abroad! A few short skits of diverting and amusing incidents which happened on the trip of the All American team are of especial two shots at every flying target. tive in the shooting game at that

we sailed. reasoned from cause to effect. every member would be liberally fraghted with "long-green," which offered an excellent opportunity for a "fat-frisk" of our sympathetic aggregation. His first effort was the "rolling" of his advocating beneter, and Parmalee's optimistic factor, who discovered his pants who was then pussy-footing arour ! making his financial collection. A (with no suspicion that he would noisy struggle, accompanied by expressive adjectives brought assist-At our next train stop, the cower-

We arrived in New York, a husky aggregation, bronzed to a Colorado Maduro hue by our continuous life outfought Charley Dunne in 10 in the open. We were trained to the minute, with every man on the team confident of ultimate success. even against our handicap imposed

while the Americans shot but once). Trapshooting devotees of New time, in conjunction with the rising | York made us feel most welcome generation who have become espe-cially interested through the teach-tertainment until time for our sailings of Uncle Sam's "doughboys" ing. A fitting finish to our visit 4,000,000 gun-trained soldiers. Our was a farewell banquet given at the team membership, match condi-tions, organization and prelimi-crowded with red-blooded sportsnaries recently appeared in a pre- men who were most profuse in good ball practice today when the first vious article. We closed our team luck and unbounded success rally of candidates for the 1920 Island City, 2,535. practice on this side of the big wa- wishes, at the same time proclaimter at Springfield, Ill., immediately ing themselves the "stay-at-home embarking in our special car for contingent who would be "pulling plays with which it is hoped to win New York city, from which point for us at every stage of the race." Our sleeper was not filled to ca- ficulty encountered by a toastmaspacity, we had one extra ticket and ter at the opening of a banquet to berth. At the station Colonel E. H. secure speakers; later when the Tripp was approached by a lad wealthy water of conversation takes show use bullets or shoot cartridges McNeill112 145 155 about 15 years of age who was sob- affect, it becomes necessary to is- in breaking glass balls? bing, and with tears coursing down sue talk checks that all present

his cheeks in rivulets, he recited a may have their inning at the gabtale of woe and hard luck, incor-porating a dying mother who abid-Frank Parmalee of Omaha was Buffalo Bill and am unable to give ed in an Ohio city, where our train eventually called upon for a few you a positive answer to your query. was scheduled to stop. No addi- remarks. In his quiet, classic, con- The fact that there has never been tional expense was involved; an op- vincing and hesitating manner, he an account of the injury to person portunity was here presented to assured those present of the cer- or property from a spent bullet give this unfortunate a lift, permittainty of American success, declar- from Cody's rifle (?) would convince Melchoir157 ting him to kiss the lips of his ing the races, in his judgment, were the knowing that shot cartridges virtually won, needing only the con- were utilized. Rifles of the 44 caliextra upper chanced to be over the firmation of red fire, shouting and ber (smooth bore) can be secured This was assigned to our congratulations in celebration of with the shot cartridges at the rewandering boy, who had correctly the victorys. He promised, in case tail dealers. Cody usually shot at of defeat, to remain on the far side a composition ball, much easier to This being the first leg of our trip until the ocean had frozen over, at score than the glass bails would which time he would skate back have been.

Charley Budd's line of conversation came late in the evening. He eon? If so, how are they operated slipping from beneath his free-born, white, American citizen head. The colonel grabbed the dis with many realty holdings in the appearing hand of the "klepto-kid," Hawkeye state. To show his confidence in American team success ance. The kid was captured red- ing, in case of defeat, the construchanded. A line of correction con- tion and continued maintenance of versation, which he easily heard a desirable home for old and indiand understood, was then launched. gent shooters, with Jim Elliott act-

ing culprit debarked, assisted by the porter's boot cuddled near his A cablegram was received and read from the British team, wishing hip pockets. A very noticeable us a safe and pleasant voyage and cosing of the milk of human kind-assuring us cordial welcome. assuring us cordial welcome.
Incidents aboard ship will form Tripp has been observed since that a basis for my next article.

date. He neither heeds nor listens

WILSON CHOSEN OLYMPIC HEAD

President of United States Made Honorary President of American Olympic Committee,

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14 .- Offiial government sanction and support for the team which will represent the United States in the Olympic games at Antwerp next pic committee in a series of confer ences yesterday.

The position of honorary president of the American Olympic committee was accepted provisionally on behalf of President Wilson by Secretary Tumulty. Secretaries Baker and Daniels were made honorary vice presidents of the com-mittee, and Under Secretary of State Polk agreed to serve on the

Service Athletes Included.

The Olympic committee also met number of officers of the army and navy in a conference at which the assistance and cooperation of both service branches was pledged. Tentative plans were discussed for the inclusion of army and navy athletes in the team of more than 200 which will sail from New York in July.

The American Olympic commit-tee was represented in the conferences by Gustavus T. Kirby, president; F. W. Rubien, secretary, and Colonel Palmer E. Pierce, president of the National Collegiate Athletic

President is Interested. In discussing the acceptance of he honorary presidency by President Wilson, Secretary Tumulty as sured the committee of the president's approval of United States games to be staged in Belgium

Fight Results

Indiana Harbor.-Dennis O'Keefe rounds.

Milwaukee-Richie Mitchell out even against our handicap imposed boxed Johnny Shephard in 10 (the British team being accorded rounds in the opinion of sport writ-

ILLINI TO BEGIN SPRING TRAINING SOMETIME TODAY

Zuppke will begin "spring" fool- league games last night: varsity will be held. Zup will inanother championship. Drills will be held indoors until the men can seek outdoor gridions.

East St. Louis, Ill. Question: Is there an inanimate

GEORGE M'DONALD. Answer: Yes, there is a "steel passenger pigeon," manufactured at Akron, Ohio, which is operated on wires stretched at different angles.

spring attachment and directed by the puller or operator, when the contestants call "pull." Question: Why don't you say more about the Boy Scouts? are all watching you in the Tribune and think you are our champion Every Boy Scout wants a gun, no

to know how to shoot a gun and shoot it straight. B. F. R. B. F. R. Answer: Thanks, I am sure your friend and will always selvocate the superiouse with the Giants, Cubs.

Last week it was reported that substituting of the gun for the staff. Phillies and Braves. He got his steve O'Neill, star Eatcher, had restart as a semi-pre pitcher in Chinare said to demand more salary.

TO MEET FOR BANTAMWEIGHT TITLE



PETE HERMAN, WORLD'S BANTAM

Champion Petè Herman and Joe Lynch will clash at Philadelphia on Feb. 23. An exciting contest is expected.

BOWLING SCORES

Following are the scores rolled Urbana, Ill., Feb. 14.-Bob in the Rock Island Commercial High team score, three games-High team score, one Island City, \$68.

High individual score, ames-Cavanaugh, 576. High individual score, one game -Heiner, 222. Tri-City Auto Supplies vs. C.

Kitty147 184 Pirowski134 150 Answer: Never traveled with Sala147 156 220 523 Totals 644 792 819 2255 C. R. I. & P. vs. Tri-City Supplies. Ruggles175 122 145 Hichman184 138 140 462 both teams ought to become our All-American Trucks vs. Island City the Iowans' 10. Starofski181 177 148 512 Heiner222 159 166 547

target made that looks like a pigM. Finkelstein . 155 113 142 410 their places being taken by John-Totals823 734 774 2331 Island Citys vs. All-American. Cavanaugh 202 190 184 576 Mangelsdorf ... 132 150 164 456 E. Danielsen .:117 135 133 385 The steel bird is launched by a W. Danielsen .. 183 214 173. 576

> DEMAREE IS SOLD TO SEATTLE CLUB

Totals804 863 173 2535

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Al Demarce, pitcher of the Boston Braves last year, was sold yesterday by Manager Stallings to the Scattle club of the Pacific Coast league. Demarce holdouts. They are Joe Harris, the hard-hitting first baseman, and lives in Chicago and has big league Harry Lunte, substitute infeider. a stick. Stick to it for us, we want

MOLINERS MIX UP

BY "SPHEROID SLIM."

TITLE CLAIMS BY

BOWING TO IOWA

The race for the tri-city basketball title was hopelessly tangled last night when Davenport, having already been defeated by Rock Is-land and Moline, showed improved form and conquered the Swedes by Moline's difficulty was finding the

basket on the long throws which have won most of the previous games. The Moline shooters were unable to even make foul goals, consistently tossing in only two out

put up a clean cut short passing long shots and rough playing, and called him up and requested a blue 442 if the Islanders keep improving 472 prey.

vor. Moline showed better form in Lineup Altered.

Moline trotted on the floor last

Wood and Lundberg were absent on and First. Following are the lineups

Davenport — Rodler and Johns, forwards; Schick, center; Layden and Stetson, guards. Substitutes. Krasuski for Layden. Moline-Driggs and Jamison for wards; First, center; Johnson and Axene, guards. Substitutes, Wood for Johnson, Ziegler for First.

CLEVELANDERS ARE HOLDOUTS, CLAIMED

By GOLDBERG ELMWOOD TEAM

landers Show Improved Form, but Fall to Stem Tide—Play

BY "SPHEROID SLIK."

(Special to The Argus). Elmwood, Ill., Feb. 14.—Elmwood high school basketball squad deleated Rock Island here by the core of 24 to 13 last night. The game was hard fought throughout. The visitors showed improved form but again were unable to keep pace with the Elmwood five.

Tonight Rock Island will play

Following is the Islanders the-up: Duffin and Lofgren, forwards; Sundean, center: Milstead and Henke, guards. Substitutes: Rosenkranz and Lamont.

LEAGUES COME TO AGREEMENT

entlemen's Compact Rather Than Signed Contract To Regulate Majors and Minors.

Chicago, Feb. 14. - Major and ninor league baseball magnates failed to draw up any new agree ment in their joint session yesterday at the Congress but came to an understanding verbally in a way that semed satisfactory to all con-cerned. They will operate under "gentlemen's agreement" this that a board of arbitration was created which will give the minors representation in all disputes to be

The board will consist of only two men, one representing the majors and one the minors. The new chairman of the national commission, not yet elected, will represent the majors. The minors will appoint a man within a week or so. These two will decide all cases fivolving major and minor league clubs and in case they can not agree, they will select a neutral man to decide that particular

Agreement Up to Club Owners.
That there still is a bare possiility of a new written agreement being drawn up and adopted, was made known. The minor league committee of eight men is empowered to act on such a thing. President Heydler of the National league and President Johnson of the American league, both of whom attended the session. said they would want to take the matter up with the major league club own-

If the major magnates favor a into operation before the season begins but, as some of the bosses prefer to take no such action while court decision is pending in the Baltimore Federal against organized baseball, it is

likely the "gentlemen's agreement will continue through another sea-No Draft for Another Year. This means there will be no drafting of ball players and no optional agreements between major league and minor league clubs. The system worked quite satisfactorily ast season except in a few cases where minor league players of merit failed to advance because their owners wouldn't sell them

and the big fellows couldn't draft

The joint session of vesterday practically brought to a close the biggest baseball gathering of all time which has been in operation here since Sunday. As yet, how ever, no chairman has been elected for the national commission to succeed Garry Herrmann. Heydler and Johnson, the other two members of the commission, were in secret session late in the after-

noon and will meet again today.

Landis Out of Running.

The list of candidates was cut Neither Moline nor Davenport dis asked that his name be removed. President Heydler of the Na-Both teams depended on tional league said the judge had pencil be run through his name on the list. Landis declared he never connected with baseball had even talked to him about it.

Totals829 774 740 2343 the last round, making 15 points to departed for their homes last night and all were delighted with the results of the big meeting. A numappointed because they had been unable to make trades but it is thought that a few deals were framed and will be announced

CINCI INFIELDER TO INDIANAPOLIS

Chicago, Feb. 14.—It was announced here yesterday that Bar-ney Schrieber, Cincinnati utility infielder who performed for Heinie Groh at third base several weeks last season when the latter had a fractured finger, had been sold to the Indianapolis club of the Amer-ican association. Schrieber was given as part payment for Sam Crane, the speedy young infielder procured last fall from the Hoos-iers by the Reds.

NINE TO TOUR JAPAN.